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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

Some of the listed documents were cited in a PCT International Search Report mailed January 14, 2004 for PCT Application No. PCT/US03/22549, which is a counterpart to the instant case. A copy of the International Search Report is also enclosed.

Some of the listed documents were cited in a PCT International Search Report mailed October 30, 2002 for PCT Application No. PCT/US02/22457, which is counterpart to related application U.S. 10/054,307 (see below). A copy of this Search report is also enclosed.

The Examiner's attention also is directed to the following U.S. application:

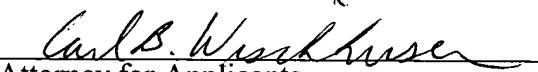
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A copy of the cited U.S. application, as originally filed, is enclosed.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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